

## THE NEWS OF NORFOLK ON PAGES TWO THREE, AND FIVE.

## WEATHER REPORT.

Washington, July 22.—Weather forecast for Sunday:  
Virginia—Showers and not so warm Sunday afternoon; probably showers Monday; light east to southeast winds. North Carolina—Showers and not so warm Sunday; probably showers Monday; light east to southeast winds.

## Norfolk and Vicinity.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.  
Warm weather; showers and variable winds.

## TEMPERATURE, RAINFALL AND HUMIDITY.

July 22, 1899.  
Maximum temperature ..... 88  
Minimum temperature ..... 74  
Normal temperature ..... 78  
Departure from normal ..... plus 3  
Departure since Jan. 1st ..... minus 5  
Rainfall in past 24 hours ..... .01  
Rainfall since 1st of month ..... 2.99  
Mean humidity ..... 81

## CALENDAR.

Sun rises, 5:02 a. m.; sets, 7:20 p. m.

## TIDES.

Norfolk—High water, 9:12 a. m. and 8:46 p. m.; low water, 3:12 a. m. and 3:21 p. m.  
Old Point—High water, 5:51 a. m. and 9:19 p. m.; low water, 2:51 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

## DIED.

DARE—In this city, at the residence of Mr. T. F. Moore, No. 191 Fenchurch street, Saturday, July 22, 1899, at 10:15 o'clock p. m., SUSSEX DARE, aged 63 years.  
Funeral services at the grave, in Elmwood Cemetery, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

**Monuments and Gravestones.**  
The selection of a suitable memorial in marble or granite can be readily made from our stock, for we carry the largest assortment of finished designs in the South.  
**THE COUPER MARBLE WORKS**  
(Established 50 Years.)  
150-153 BANK ST. Norfolk, Va.

## MEETINGS.

**B. P. O. E.**  
Members of NORFOLK LODGE, NO. 25, B. P. O. E. Elks, are hereby requested to attend a special session THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON, July 23, at 3 o'clock, to act on report of committee for entertaining the Grand Lodge officers.  
By order of the E. L.  
W. B. LANGLEY, Secretary.

**OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF POCAHONTAS COUNCIL, NO. 6, D. O. C.**  
You are hereby notified to be present on our next meeting, TUESDAY, July 25th, at 7:30 p. m. After the meeting there will be ice cream and cake served. Bring your lady friends with you. Sister councils are cordially invited to unite with us. Council members in L. O. O. F. Hall, corner Church street and Washington avenue, Huntville.  
Done by order of Council.  
J. T. STALLINGS, R. S.

## AMUSEMENTS.

**Ocean View Theatre**  
Week of July 17, 1899.

OSCAR P. Sisson, Manager  
WALTER GARRY, Stage Manager

**BILLY VAN,**  
MINSTREL.

**SWIFT & HUBER,**  
MUSICAL TEAM.

**STEWART & GILLEN,**  
Comedy Sketch Artists and Boxers.

**MATTIE BOOKUM,**  
SERIO-COMIC.

— and —  
**Mr. O. P. Sisson**

Assisted by the Charming Artist

**Miss ESTER WALLACE,**

— In New and Pleasing Sketches —

Week of July 24th, SIMMONS & SLO-  
CUM'S MINSTREL TROUPE.

Performances at 4:30 and 8:30 p. m., daily.

**GRAND RE-OPENING OF THE ALL-  
STORY THEATRE FOR THE**

**SUMMER SEASON MONDAY EVEN-  
ING, JULY 24TH.** The house will

be cooled with electric fans and liquid a. r.  
New faces and up-to-date Vaudeville enter-  
tainment. Prices, 10, 15 and 25c.

— 35-47

**NEW YORKS vs.**

**RED STOCKINGS**

The greatest game of the season, with the  
strongest semi-professionals in the  
country, the Eastern Athletics. The Ath-  
letes have just finished playing twenty-  
eight straight games without a defeat,  
and come to play a series of three games  
with the Reds, MONDAY, TUESDAY  
and WEDNESDAY, July 24th, 25th  
and 26th, at Lehigh Park, Lehigh, Pa.

Game called at 4:30 p. m.

**Chamberlin Hotel.**

Rates \$17.50 per week and up-  
wards; two in a room, \$30 per week  
and upwards.

Cafe open 1 to 10 p. m. Fish a  
specialty.

**ALAN F. CAMPBELL,**

Manager.

52-56, sept

**\$25.00 REWARD!**

For the arrest of ZEKE WILSON,  
Negro; dark, 25 years old; about 5  
feet 6 inches tall; weight 160 pounds;  
hair closely cut. Wanted for the robbery  
of \$300.00 in cash and \$58.34 in  
checks—one check \$50.14, payable  
to James E. Dues; one check \$8.20, pay-  
able to A. L. Perkins.

(Signed) **JAMES E. DUES,**

Kempville, Princess Anne Co., Va.

52-56, sept

## MUSICAL NOTES

Norfolk Conservatory of Music to  
Open With a Grand Recital.

Summer Vaudeville Managers Meet  
at Ocean View—Initial Move in  
Forming a Big Combination to  
Control Summer Vaudeville.

Mr. Joe Le Faucheur, the genial treas-  
urer of the Academy of Music, has been  
searching the scriptures very thorough-  
ly and the efforts of his labors seem to  
be a knockout blow for the puss fiends.  
When an un-entitled secker after the  
courtesies of the house approaches him  
and asks for a pass, Joe hands him out  
his business card, on the back of which  
are the following quotations from the  
good book: "In those days there were  
no passes—Numbers xx, 18. "This  
generation shall not pass—Mark xiii,  
30. "Suffer not a man to pass—Judges  
ix, 28. "None shall ever pass—Isaiah  
xxxix, 10. "The wicked shall no more  
pass—Nahum i, 15. "Thou shalt not  
pass—Numbers xx, 18. "Though they  
roar, yet they shall not pass—Jeremi-  
ah v, 22. "So he paid his fare and  
went—Jonah i, 3. The effect is elec-  
trical and Joe says it never fails to work.

As stated heretofore in the Virginian-  
Pilot, the Academy of Music season will  
be opened Monday, August 28th, with  
Al G. Field's minstrels as the attrac-  
tion. They will open their fifteenth  
annual season at Columbus, O., August  
19th. It is said that Mr. Field has sev-  
eral pleasing surprises in store for his  
patrons. His new first part is said to  
be constructed on new lines, and for it  
he carries his own special scenery and  
stage effects. His company for this  
season is made up as follows: Tommy  
Donnelly, Harry Shunk, Dan Quinlan,  
Doc Quigley, Paul Lelonde, Reese  
Prosser, Tom Crockett, E. F. Snell, J.  
W. Norton, George Hassell, E. J.  
Gardner, Lew Smith, E. W. Gray, W.  
A. Cleveland, E. J. Hosford, George  
Kingsbury, Harry Greve, Tom Hyde,  
Less Fairman, Wm. H. Freer, Otto C.  
Gruntz, Ted Faust, Victor Faust, En-  
geline Faust, Rubie Faust, Louis Faust,  
Artie Faust, Lord Faust, Wm. Ever-  
hardt, Jake Wolby, Charles Pearl,  
Will Keys, Master Carroll, Joe Hat-  
field, Ed. Conrad, W. C. Boyd and Joe  
Rieder.

"Just For To-day," a beautiful new  
sacred solo, composed by Jane Bingham  
Abbott, will be sung for the first time  
in Norfolk by Mrs. Fred Aunsbaugh at  
Second Presbyterian Church to-night.

Schilzky's Hungarian Boys' Band  
recently at Ocean View, is now playing  
at Lexington, Ky. The band will leave  
July 25th for New Orleans, where, after  
finishing an engagement, it will leave via  
the Southern Railway for a Western  
tour, taking in all the leading  
cities of the West.

Richards, Pringle, Ruscoe and Hol-  
land will have two minstrel companies  
on the road during the coming season,  
called, respectively, Richards and Hol-  
land's Minstrel Festival and Richards  
and Pringle's Georgia Minstrels. The  
latter combination is booked for Nor-  
folk, to appear here about mid-sea-  
son.

De Wolf Hopper made his London de-  
but on July 10th in "El Capitán," at the  
Lyric Theatre. The reception accorded  
him and his company was extremely  
cordial. There were many distinguished  
people present in his audience, includ-  
ing diplomats, actors and actresses. On  
the following evening the Eccentric  
Club gave a dinner to the members of  
the Lamb's then in London. Lionel  
Brough presided and beside him were  
Ambassador Cheate and De Wolf Hop-  
per.

A few days ago an important meet-  
ing of theatrical managers was held at  
Ocean View, there being present Mr.  
P. C. Leach, of Richmond and Nor-  
folk; W. J. Blinnier, of Norfolk; and  
the vaudeville booking agents of New  
York: Burk and Chase, managers of the  
Grand Opera House at Washington, D.  
C., and of the Ohio circuit of parks, and  
others. This meeting, which was held  
very quietly, is understood to be the  
initial effort in a project to form a  
great combination to control the sum-  
mer vaudeville circuits, in the same  
way as the theatrical syndicate of New  
York controls the principal attractions  
and theaters of the country. About sixty  
summer amusement places were  
represented. If this project is a suc-  
cess vaudeville teams and attractions  
will be booked for forty consecutive  
weeks, a longer period that has ever  
been known before.

Wiley Hamilton, who has acted as  
stage manager at the Auditorium, has  
gone to his home in the South for a  
vacation, accompanied by Mrs. Hamil-  
ton.

Mr. R. C. Tupman, the popular tenor,  
will sing at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this  
afternoon at the men's meeting.  
Follow musical notes.

Mr. George A. Norton, Norfolk's popu-  
lar young song writer, returned to this  
city from New York yesterday for a  
short visit. He reports great success in  
New York, where he disposed of four  
of the Norton and Casey successes at  
handsome figures. While in New York  
he met Miss Anna Wilkes, and had the  
pleasure of hearing her sing "In the  
Shenandoah Valley." He also met Miss  
May Irwin, who is now starring in  
"Kate Kip" Buyer, and will, with Mr.  
Casey, shortly write a dainty lullaby  
for her, which she will perform. He  
also met Mr. Fred Bowers, the com-  
poser of the famous ballad "Because."  
He will return to the metropolis to take  
up a new line of work with a promi-  
nent music publishing house.

Mr. C. E. Hunter, of Richmond, Va.,  
representing Walter D. Mosse & Co., of  
that city, is at the Monticello, where,  
during the coming week, he will intro-  
duce the "Pianola" to local lovers of  
music. The pianola is an attachment  
applicable to any piano, by which a  
person with no knowledge of music can  
play any automatic device in that in-  
strument. It allows individuality of touch,  
expression, phrasing and tempo. During  
his stay Mr. Hunter will demonstrate to  
all who are interested the simplicity  
and merits of this device, which is now  
shown in Norfolk for the first time.

The male quartette composed of the  
Williams Brothers, first and second

tenor; Mr. P. McGinnis, basso, and  
Mr. Harry F. Ferguson, baritone, will  
in the near future fill an engagement  
at the Ocean View Theatre. The gen-  
tlemen have fine voices and are attrac-  
tive much attention by their singing.  
They are all Norfolk boys.

Garry and Walters, the popular song  
illustrators, will conclude their engage-  
ment at Ocean View next week,  
and go on an extended tour,  
first making the Southern cir-  
cuit. These two artists have made  
a great hit here and will be gladly wel-  
comed back next season. They will  
later join the company of Oscar P. Sis-  
son.

During the past week Miss Ester  
Wallace has been singing "Please Don't  
Scold My Mamma," words by George  
A. Norton, music by Jas. W. Casey, at  
Ocean View. It made a great hit with  
the audiences. On her coming tour  
she will sing Norton & Casey's new song,  
"Sing Me a Song of the South."

Norton & Casey's publishers, M. W.  
Witmark & Sons, New York and Chi-  
cago, have just issued two new songs  
by these talented young composers,  
which are, no doubt, the best the boys  
have yet accomplished. The first,  
"Where Is My Boy To-night?" is a song  
that is entirely original in construction,  
both in words and music. It bids fair  
to become a great favorite everywhere.  
It is not a repetition of the old "fallen  
life" theme, but a fine, sweet story of  
a mother only boy who leaves his dear  
home in the country to seek his future  
in a far-off city. "Sing Me a Song of  
the South" is a beautiful story of a  
Southern soldier boy dying on a battle  
field in a foreign land. His last re-  
quest is for his comrades to sing him a  
Southern melody.

Manager Sullivan, of the Grand Opera  
House, was in Norfolk Thursday. He  
stated that this house, which will prob-  
ably be known as the Trocadero, will  
open September 18th.

The Norfolk Conservatory of Music  
has leased the entire second floor of the  
Dodson building, formerly occupied by  
the Norfolk Cotton Exchange. It will  
open about September 15. These quar-  
ters will be completely renovated and  
placed in the finest possible condition.  
All of the faculty but two members  
have been secured. It will open with a  
grand musical recital and art exhibition  
by the faculty.

**THE NUSBAUM STORE.**  
WANTS OF THE LADIES SPECIAL-  
LY CONSIDERED—A FINE ART  
GALLERY.

In its issue of last Sunday the Vir-  
ginian-Pilot briefly stated the new build-  
ing to be occupied by Mr. M. C. Nus-  
baum at the corner of Brooke and Gran-  
by streets, opposite the Monticello  
Hotel. On account of some of its  
special features it merits a more ex-  
tended notice than has yet been given.  
The building to be erected by Mr.  
Nusbaum will be of brick and terra  
cotta, three stories high, and of the  
Italian renaissance style. Mr. Nus-  
baum will occupy the ground floor and  
half of the third floor. The latter por-  
tion will be fitted up as a picture frame  
factory, which will be one of the most  
complete in the South. Mr. Nusbaum  
will give special attention to securing  
the very newest things in artistic pic-  
ture mountings, frames and canvases,  
and his keenest taste in art matters will  
be a large factor in making his art de-  
partment a pronounced success.

He will have 3,159 square feet of floor  
space on the ground floor and two oval  
plate-glass windows and Granby street,  
each nine feet long and thirty feet of  
plate glass front on Brook avenue, will  
give ample space for artistic window  
displays.

There will be tiled entrances on  
Granby street and on Brook avenue.  
The store will be finished in white and  
gold and the fixtures will be made of  
selected quartered oak. These will be  
beautiful and elaborate and will in-  
clude 75 feet of glass counter cases,  
with white marble bases and 50 feet  
of movable book case shelving.

There will be a fine artists' gallery in  
the rear, constructed after the style of  
the Paris galleries. Here pictures will  
be on exhibition and will be given occa-  
sionally.

The comfort of the ladies has been  
kept in mind, and for their exclusive  
use there will be a pretty carpeted room  
with writing desks and easy chairs.  
The store will be finished in white and  
gold and the fixtures will be made of  
selected quartered oak. These will be  
beautiful and elaborate and will in-  
clude 75 feet of glass counter cases,  
with white marble bases and 50 feet  
of movable book case shelving.

The second floor will be used for  
offices. Dr. Randall Barrett will occupy  
the suite on Granby street and Brooke  
avenue, with a complete dental office.  
Faber, the photographer, will have  
his fine reception rooms on the second  
floor and will use one-half of the third  
floor. The Brooke street side of the  
building has been designed with special  
attention to the needs of Mr. Faber,  
who will have three large plate glass  
windows in his quarters, making his  
operating room one of the best in the  
State. His gallery, which will be one  
of the most complete in the country,  
will be modeled after the celebrated  
"Corbin Studio" in New York. The  
building will be known as the  
Nusbaum building, will be heated by  
steam and lighted by electricity.

**Brick famine over.**  
Some time ago the heavy demand for  
brick in Norfolk was such as to ex-  
ceed the supply. The situation has  
been relieved and there are now plenty  
of brick for all purposes. Good, hard  
brick are quoted at \$8 per thousand,  
but it is understood that this price  
can be obtained by dealers. Some brick  
are now being sold here at \$7.62½ delivered.

**Colored Y. M. C. A.**  
The colored Y. M. C. A. will hold a  
building mass meeting at the Rute  
Street Baptist Church this afternoon at  
5 o'clock. Short addresses will be made  
by the following pastors: Revs. H. H.  
Mitchell, D. P. Seaton, John Brick-  
house, Madison Lewis, C. B. Hogan, R.  
H. Bowling and A. S. Lloyd. You are  
invited. Come on time.

**Prospective Builders, Take Notice.**  
Tunstall & Scheib, Meritz building,  
have opened their office and warehouse  
and will carry a complete stock of  
sash, doors and blinds, builders' hard-  
ware, sheet and plate glass, paints and  
oil. Their expenses are small, thus  
enabling them to underbid competitors.

We are making a special run on  
FINE QUALITY DIAMONDS. Learn  
our prices for first-class goods.  
**THE GALE JEWELRY CO.**

## FRATERNITY NOTES

Petersburg Elks Coming to Norfolk  
to Help Receive Grand Officers.

**Ideal Council's First Anniversary—  
Emblematic Rings Presented—U.  
R. K. of P. Parade at Hampton  
Cornerstone Laying.**

Petersburg Lodge of Elks will send  
down a large delegation to join with  
the Norfolk and Portsmouth Elks in the  
reception being arranged for the grand  
officers of the order. This being the  
first meeting of the kind in Virginia it  
will be a big event in Elkdom. Grand  
Exalted Ruler Allen has accepted Nor-  
folk's invitation to the grand officers.  
They will reach Old Point Comfort July  
29th and probably spend the greater  
part of a week in this section.

Owing to the hot weather now pre-  
vailing Ideal Council No. 11, Jr. O. U.  
A. M., has decided to postpone its ban-  
quet from July 26th to some time in  
October or November. At its meeting  
Wednesday night this council will cele-  
brate its first anniversary. This council  
now has 122 members.

Calumet Tribe No. 57, I. O. R. M.,  
had an interesting meeting Thursday  
night. They adopted a number of pale-  
faces. This tribe is taking on new life  
and has good prospects for a large in-  
crease of membership.

Norfolk Tent No. 6, K. O. T. M., had  
quite a number of applications last  
Tuesday night. This tent is in a very  
flourishing and prosperous condition  
and new Knights are being enrolled at  
every review.

Landmark Conclave No. 245, I. O. H.,  
had a large and enthusiastic meeting  
Monday night at its lodge room, Van  
Wyck's Hall, Academy of Music build-  
ing. Several applications were re-  
ceived. This conclave is making steady  
progress.

Canton Norfolk, I. O. O. F., and Vir-  
ginia Company No. 2, U. R. K. of P.,  
will have a joint excursion to Hick's  
Wharf, Matthews county, Tuesday, Aug-  
ust 8th, on the steamer Mohawk.  
Those wishing to go to the U. R. K. of P.  
will go into a fund being raised to de-  
fray its expenses to Detroit, Mich., in  
August, 1900.

Elizabeth Camp No. 3, W. O. W., of  
this city, paid a fraternal visit to the  
campers of Magnolia Camp No. 4,  
Portsmouth, last Tuesday night, on  
which occasion the Protectors, Embel-  
lers and Morning degrees were conferred on  
a large class of candidates, after which  
refreshments were served. Speeches  
were made by Past Council Commander  
J. H. Hardy and E. B. Johnson.  
Herbert, council commander of No. 4,  
and others. The evening was very en-  
joyable to all present. These camps  
are in a very flourishing condition and  
are receiving new applications at every  
meeting, which shows that wood craft  
is steadily increasing in the twin cities.

Black Hawk Tribe No. 57, I. O. R. M.,  
had a very interesting meeting Monday  
night, on which occasion there was  
presented to Past Great Sachem J. W.  
Cherry a magnificent emblematic ring  
which he is to hold for the chiefs and  
brothers of that tribe. Emblematic  
rings were also presented to Brothers  
Benjamin Wood and Thomas Dixon for  
bringing in the largest number of pale-  
faces or applications to the tribe. This  
tribe will adopt a large class of pale-  
faces in August. Black Hawk Tribe is  
increasing its membership very rapidly.

Lexington is to have a horse show,  
fair and carnival August 8th to 12th,  
for the benefit of Lodge No. 89 of the  
Order of Elks, and the attractions will  
be numerous and varied. The carnival  
will be held in the grounds of the Ken-  
tucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Asso-  
ciation.

The Columbus (O.) Lodge of Elks re-  
cently cleared \$15,000 as their share of  
the profits of the big Street Fair and  
carnival at that place, held  
July 1st to 10th. The profits of this sum goes  
to the building fund of the lodge and  
the other half to the Children's Hospi-  
tal of that city. There were over one  
hundred thousand paid admissions. The  
committee in charge of the fair was  
composed of Al G. Field, chairman, and  
seven other of the most prominent citi-  
zens of Columbus.

The First Virginia Regiment, U. R.  
K. of P., will parade at Hampton on  
the laying of cornerstone of the new  
Pythian Castle being built there. This  
ceremony will occur in August. This  
regiment has attended the biennial en-  
campment of the Improved Order of  
Washington, in 1897, at Cleveland, in 1896,  
Indianapolis, in 1895, and is looking for-  
ward with pleasure to the encampment  
to be held at Detroit, Mich., in 1900.  
The field and staff officers of this regi-  
ment are as follows: G. W. Battley,  
colonel; Norfolk; S. J. Harwood, lieu-  
tenant colonel; Newport News; W. C.  
Corbett, major; Portsmouth; Henry L.  
Myers, captain and adjutant; John T.  
Lawrence, captain and quartermaster;  
Donald McLeod, captain and signal  
officer; L. Frank Vaughn, adjutant  
First Battalion; W. A. Shipps, com-  
missary First Battalion; F. Howell,  
quartermaster First Battalion.

The Grand Lodge of Virginia Odd  
Fellows, at its recent session, instructed  
its representatives to the Sovereign  
Grand Lodge "to support any legisla-  
tion looking to the establishment of an  
endowment fund for a firm business  
basis and under the immediate direc-  
tion of the Sovereign Grand Lodge,  
provided it is not an assessment plan."

There are in the United States over  
fifty distinct secret orders, with more  
than 70,000 lodges and 5,000,000 mem-  
bers. Of these thirty-one are representa-  
tive in Norfolk and this city has about  
100 lodges.

The special Reception Committee of  
Norfolk Lodge No. 28, R. P. O. E., met  
last night at the lodge-rooms and unani-  
mously decided to give the Grand  
Lodge officials a genuine old Virginia  
welcome on the occasion of their com-  
ing visit to this section. The lodge will  
meet to-day and act on the matter as a  
whole. The entertainment will proba-  
bly consist of a genuine Elk's social on  
one of the local steamers, preceded by

an informal afternoon reception of the  
Grand Lodge officers at Elks' Hall. Ex-  
alted Ruler A. A. O'Neill yesterday re-  
ceived a telegram from Grand Secre-  
tary George A. Reynolds, stating that  
the grand officers would meet at Old  
Point Comfort Saturday, July 22nd, and  
will be here probably for three days.

## BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Dickinson, Jr., re-  
turned home yesterday from the White  
Mountains of New Hampshire, where  
they have been on a pleasure trip for  
the past two weeks.

Mr. Edward Verney, of Norfolk, is  
attending a house party arranged after  
the ante-bellum fashion at the home  
of Colonel James Young Swift, in El-  
berton, Ga.

The Port Norfolk Land Company has  
withdrawn all the lots east of Virginia  
avenue from the market in order to pro-  
vide a right of way for another railway  
to its water front. The prices of the  
other unsold lots will be advanced after  
August 10th.

Mr. George Sykes, of the firm of Wil-  
liamson & Sykes, leaves to-day for the  
mountains, where he will spend several  
days, and we hope his health will be  
much improved by the trip.

Mr. Thomas E. Seabell and family  
are spending the summer at their cot-  
tage, Willoughby Beach.

Mrs. T. J. Peak and her mother,  
Mrs. C. T. Bew, are at the Alleghany  
Springs, Va.

Mrs. J. T. Rhea, Mrs. J. M. Rhea and  
Mrs. P. D. Nelligan are guests at the  
Atlantic Hotel, Virginia Beach.

Mr. J. H. Hall and her mother,  
Mrs. C. T. Bew, are at the Alleghany  
Springs, Va.

Dr. Robert L. Kern, of Richmond, is  
visiting his sister, Mrs. S. C. Hatcher,  
No. 107 Wood street.

Mr. W. G. Hatcher, of McKeesport,  
Pa., formerly of Norfolk, is the guest  
of his brother, Rev. S. C. Hatcher, No.  
107 Wood street. Mr. Hatcher is the  
leading decorator for the extensive dry  
goods firm of Shelley & Co., McKees-  
port.

Mr. George W. Capps, who is now  
spending a summer vacation at Atlan-  
tic City, will return home to-mor-  
row.

A Williamsburg letter says: Mrs.  
Christian, who has been under treat-  
ment of Dr. Lomax Gwathmey at his  
sanitarium, in Norfolk, for some weeks,  
is at "Disney on the Roads," the home  
of Mr. W. Disney, below Newport News,  
and hopes to return to Wood-  
bourne, her home, in this county, about  
the 1st of August.

Miss Ethel McCurdy, of Richmond,  
has been the guest of Miss Rena  
Moses, left for Broad Creek to visit re-  
latives yesterday.

Miss Edna Jones, of Newport News,  
is the guest of Miss Moses, on Windsor  
avenue.

Misses Mattie and Josephine Phillips,  
and Mr. Fred Phillips, of Tarboro, N. C.,  
arrived in the city yesterday.

Mr. Charles P. Cole, of Danville, is at  
the Atlantic Hotel.

Mr. T. H. McMichael and Mr. D. W.  
Belch, of Petersburg, arrived in Nor-  
folk last night.

Messrs. E. R. Hooger, W. A. Huse,  
and S. R. Addison, of Roanoke, are  
here.

## BRAMBLETON WARD.

The Earnest Workers' Society of  
Central Avenue Baptist Church are de-  
lighting over having secured the services  
of S. P. DeVaula, one of the most no-  
ted elocutionists in the South, for an  
entertainment to be given by him on  
Tuesday next at 8:15 p. m. at the  
church. The society is also fortunate in  
obtaining special musical talent from  
Norfolk and other cities, which will  
make the occasion a musical and lit-  
erary treat of high order.

Rev. C. W. Maxwell returned Fri-  
day from the Eastern Shore of Virginia,  
where he had been conducting a series  
of meetings at the Presbyterian  
Church for two weeks. He will fill his  
pulpit at the usual hours to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Armstrong, of  
Colley avenue, accompanied by their  
children, left for Birmingham, N. Y.,  
yesterday, where Mrs. Armstrong and  
the children will remain with relatives  
until the first of September.

A large crowd witnessed an interest-  
ing game of ball between the Atlantic  
City and Portsmouth clubs on the play-  
ground in Ghent at 4 o'clock yesterday  
afternoon. Nine innings were played  
and at the close the following was the  
state of the game:

Atlantic City..... 9 8 2  
Portsmouth..... 4 6 6  
Batteries for Atlantic City: Hudgins